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August 27, 2002

Bill Holmes
Rand Corporation
1700 Main Street
Santa Monica, CA 90401

Dear Bill Holmes:

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR DISCHARGE OF CONTAMINATED SOILS – RAND CORPORATION, 1700/1776 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA, (FILE NO. 88-57-017(02))

On August 19, 2002, you filed with this Regional Board a report of waste discharge (ROWD) to dispose of an estimated 42,000 cubic yards of non-hazardous contaminated wastes and soils from the Rand Corporation, 1700/1776 Main Street, Santa Monica, California, in preparation for property redevelopment. The waste subject to this permit consists of stockpiled soils contaminated with low levels of hydrocarbons. Material that exceeds the allowable hydrocarbon concentrations has been segregated.

We have reviewed the analytical results provided for representative soil samples. Test results submitted in the ROWD indicate that the material represented by the 114 samples taken from trench locations B-1 through B-60 at the site, sampled between August 8 through August 10, 2002 meet the discharge limits in Order No. 91-93, "General Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharge of Non-Hazardous Contaminated Soils and Other Wastes in Los Angeles River and Santa Clara River Basins", which was adopted by this Regional Board on July 22, 1991 (attached). This material may be discharged at the Puente Hills or Bradley Landfills. Materials not represented by samples taken from trench locations B-1 through B-60 must be taken to a legal point of disposal or treatment.

Enclosed are Waste Discharge Requirements, comprising:

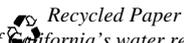
1. General Waste Discharge Requirements
2. Monitoring and Reporting Program

Please note that the Monitoring and Reporting Program requires that a report be submitted to this Regional Board within 10 days of the completion of disposal operations. (ATTN: Information Technology Unit.) This report shall reference the above file number.

Pursuant to Section 13267 of the California Water Code, the Rand Corporation must submit the required final report within 10 days of the completion of disposal operations and no later than

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December 5, 2002. Failure to submit the required report may result in the imposition of civil liability penalties by the Regional Board of up to \$1,000.00 per day for each day the report is not received after the due date.

Should you have any questions, please call Dana Cole at (213) 620-2259.

Sincerely,

Dennis A. Dickerson
Executive Officer

Enclosures

cc: Virginia Maloles, County of Los Angeles, Department of Health Services, Solid Waste Management Department
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